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#### TURBULENT TIMES.

Corruption in France and War in Mexico.

The Pararas Scandal in France Reveals : Case of Probable Murder-Mexican Troops Routed By a Band of Revolutionists.

The French Scandal. Paris, Dec. 26.-A story unmatched in all history and without parallel in standard fiction was told by a prominent banker in explanation of the series of events which has culminated in the present crisis in France. It will be remembered in connection with Baron Reinach's death that it was said the distribution of the vast Panama cor-

ruption funds had been stolen. These dangerous papers have for a long time been in possession of Cornelius Herz, now a fugitive in London, who for several days has been so prominently before the public in connection with the Panama affair. It is now said that Herz's connection with Reinach has been that of a blackmailer and Reinach It is explained that Herz got posses-

and has since levied gigantic tribute on upon the report made to the time of the laron's death is placed at no less than 10,000,000 francs. When the rumors of Panama corruption began to be publicly discussed six weeks ago, Herz is said to have made them the basis for a fresh demand for 4,000,000 francs. He threatened to publish all his evidence in two Paris newspapers, if not paid. Reinach could not respond. Herz, inexorable, increased the pressure. He affirmed that he could stop the threatened great exposure if his demands were satisfied. Reinach in his extremity appealed to Rouvier. He reminded the minister of finance of the assistance he had rendered him in the past and which Rouvier described in his indiscreet speech in the chamber the other day. The distressed baron begged him to use every effort to pre-

The latter reported that he could do When the result was made known to Reinneh, he exclaimed: "I am lost!" A day or two later he was dead; whether by suicide or murder is still an

vent Herz from executing his threats.

Paris Dec 28 -Dr Repordel who who had charge of the post mortem examination of the body of Baron Reinsch,

the Panama canal suddenly under suspicious circuminto the stomach

dicial inquiry be as practicable in order to get the very Baken REINACH. held to prove that latest information as to the work of ad the baron did not commit suicide. It has been more than hinted that Baron de Reinach was put out of the way by those who feared that his evidence might implicate them in the scandal. If true that the poison was in his stomach eight hours before his death there would be good reason to believe this charge is true, for, on the night of the baron's death he, M. Bouvier and M. Clemenceau attempted to secure a cessation of the newspaper attacks that were being made upon him and it is not at all probable that had Reinach contemplated suicide he would have gone to the trouble to attempt to stop attacks that in a few hours would have been nothing to him and neither would

to the result of these attacks. There is no denying the fact that some of those implicated in the scandal would have felt greatly relieved if Reimuch were dead and beyond giving evidence that would be mirch their heretofore good names.

limked to the sudden and mysterious deaths of two other men who were cogmizant of the bribery of legislators gives added strength to the demand of the buron's family that an inquiry be held to place the responsibility for his death where it belongs.

The Panama canal investigating committee has decided to dispense with the documents in the possession of the government in the cases of Charles de Lesseps and Marius Fontaine because they throw no light on the bribery of deputies and their use by the commission might invalidate the prosecution by the government.

Mexico's Wors. Leneno, Tex., Dec. 28.-A report is encreut here that a battle took place neur Las Animas, Mexico, east of Guersero, between 500 Mexican troops and 250 revolutionists, in which thirteen soldiers were killed and many wounded and several of the revolutionists were also killed and wounded. The report says the resolutionists were commanded by Gen. Estrada and the Mexican troops by Gen. Garcia. It is not known whether or not the report is true, but Gurcia, of the Mexican rurals, arrived in New Lureio with seven wounded

Later-News report of the battle cedent was entitled to the possess above mentioned has been confirmed the lands so allotted. The decision and says the Mexican troops were was rendered in an ejectment suit in-routed. It says the town of Guerrero volving 160 acres of land adjoining El is now in danger of being captured by
the revolutionists. Many of the Mexican soldiers are flocking to the standard of the revolutionists and its forces
are rapidly becoming augmented by
The decision is contrary to the decisions. in the northwest under similar treaty

serious aspect than it was thought would at first and Uncle Sam is doing right in rushing United States troops to this section, as they may yet be needed to protect the interests of Americans on the border from straggling bandits, smugglers, etc., who will commit much vandalism if the revolution on

### CONGRESS BEHIND.

the border continues.

Review of What Has Been Done and Wha

Has to Be Done.
WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—The present session of the Fifty-second congress is not quite up to the ante-holiday record of the short session of the Fifty-first congress. The house has so far passed the army bill and only the fortifications bill has been reported. When the holiday recess of the Fifty-first congress that the principal documents bearing on was taken the army and the navy bills had been reported and the fortification and pension bills had been passed, be side a deficiency bill carrying with it an appropriation of almost \$500,000. Immediately on the assembling of the

senate after the recess the army bill will be reported and called up at an early day. The total amount of this bill as it passed the house was \$24,197, 639 with an estimate of \$25,922,955. The bill was sent to the secretary of | fixing plugs and trying to prevent the war and the action of the senate in sion of documents several years ago making increases will depend the The amount extorted up to committee by the war department. In the appropriations for the ordnance department the house has allowed even more than the estimates called for, this being due to the urgent appeals made by the chief of that division to the committee. It was shown that the ordnance department has been subsisting for years upon the left over stock from the late war and that the surplus has been entirely used up. The appropriations committee will

probably reverse its usual order of bringing forward the appropriation bills and get two of the heaviest annual bills-the sundry civil and legislative. executive and judicial appropriation measures-into the house early in the session, leaving the pension and deficiency bills to bring up the rear. The fortifications bill has already been reported and the District of Columbia Rouvier sought Clemenceau's aid. bill should be ready the first week after it reassembles, although Mr. Dockery, of Missouri, who has it in charge, has already found that his lot "is not a happy one." It was expected to report the bill before any other of the regular appropriation measures, but a large number of local officers and others came forward to show why the knife of economy should not be used to pare projects in which they were interested, and the holiday recess found the bill promoter, who died still in the hands of the committee. However, its preparation will be complete in season to be taken up by the stances, has report- house immediately after the fortificaed to the govern-, tion bill is acted upon. The sundry civil ment that death was bill will reach the house during the due to poison taken latter part of January and the legislative about the close of the month. eight hours before pension bill, in the number of its items, death, and the fam- is small and can be quickly prepared, ily of Baron de but the sub-committee has not yet Reinach have de shown any signs of getting to work on manded that a ju- it and probably desires to wait as long

> judication of pension claims and the consequent amount of money needed. THE HOG CROP.

reity of Hogs Causes Idle ess Among Chicago Packers—The Crop Short. CHICAGO, Dec. 27. - There is a dullness about Packingtown nowadays that has not been paralleled for years. Since December 1 5,000 men have been discharged and the plants of the big packers are bardly working at one-half their capacity. Nor is this the only element of discouragement in this situation. The indications are that unless the supply of hogs is materially and speedily increased, further reductions will be necessary in the now small operating forces of the big packers. he have displayed such deep feeling as This unusual condition of things in Packingtown, and the consequent hardship brought upon the large laboring population of that locality, have been brought about by a most unusual shortage in the hog crop. This shortage is readily shown by the following statistics: From November 1 to De cember 21, western packing was only 2,280,000, against 3,820,000 for the same period last year, showing a shortage of 1,540,000 hogs for the west. Chicago for the same period this year packed 780,000, against 1,480,000 last year showing a shortage for this market of

Leading packers, while they assert that this condition of affairs was foreseen in part, yet admit that the shortage greatly exceeded the calculations of shrewdest among them and that some of them were caught on the wrong side of the market. They admit that there does not seem to be any immedi ate relief from the embarrassing situa-

THE CHILDREN'S RIGHTS.

Offspring of Whites and Reds Allowed the EL RENO, Ok., Dec. 27.-In the case of Morrison vs. Wilson in the United States court here. Judge Burford held that the children born to a white citizen of the United States who had married a female member of the Arapahor tribe might still be a member of that tribe of Indians and entitled to an allotment under the treaty as a member of the tribe, and that the laws of descent in Oklahoma applied to Indians, and that the administrator of an Indian de

PERILS OF THE DEEP

Thrilling Experience of Passenger on the Steamship Nordland.

An Accident to Her Machinery While Sea Causes Great Auxiety and Alarm-The Final Rescue By a Passi og Vessel.

QUEENSTOWN, Dec. 28.-The steamship Nordland was towed into Queensown harbor by the steamship Ohio at 7 o'clock last evening. All the passen gers were on deck, waving hats and handkerchiefs and cheering. Anchor was dropped and the passengers were to shore by a tender. All showed signs of the anxiety which they had suffered. Some of the elderly steerage passengers were hardly able Several women fell on their knees and cried the moment they were landed. Frank Shea, a first cabin passenger, now stopping at a Queenstown hotel, told his experience.

"The first two days out of New York were fairish, although a part of the time a heavy sea was running. The weather then grew rapidly worse. On the night of the accident we were making about twelve knots an hour. The ship was rolling heavily and most of the cabin passengers were below sick. Five or six of us were in the smoking room, talking about how we should pass Christmas in Antwerp, when there was a terrific crash and we were thrown from the seats into a heap on the The vibration of the ship almost shook us from our feet as we started for the door. It seemed as if a gigantic hammer was pounding the ship's bottom. When we got outside we saw the captain coming from the engine room. The passengers came running on deck, half dressed and white from fear. We surrounded the captain and he told us that the main shaft was broken, but that there was no immediate reason for alarm. The other officers who were not busy below walked about among the passengers and encouraged all to believe that there was no danger. In a few minutes we learned that the engineers at a great risk of their lives, had found that the two stay plates and the plummer blocks had hed the gland of the engine. The bulkhead, nowever, had been kept tight. The vessel pitched and rolled terribly, so that we saw we could not trust to the boats in case the worst

we saw the crew rushing through the steerage carrying beddings, mats and carpets to be stuffed into the tunnel box. We all knew then that water was coming in. Nobody slept that night. The women sat crying in the cabins and the men crowded the smoking room to play cards and talk over the situa-We all were badly frightened The vessel rolled terribly and with every roll came a tremendous thump as if a piece of the shaft was loose and smashing things in the The sails had been spread, hold. they did not steady the but ship, noticeably. We knew we were far from the track of transatlantic teamships and most of us on that night rould not have guessed that our chances of life were more than two in live. The crew worked heroically at the pumps for the twenty-four hours after the accident and at the same time the engineers were busy at the shaft, further influx of water. Eventually word was sent out that the flow of water had been checked. We had lenty of food and water and therefore with fairly favorable weather, would have been able to hold our own for

"We were just becoming calmer when

"Friday was uneventful. The tables were laid as usual, but few cared to eat. At 2 o'clock on Saturday morning, the lookout yelled: 'Light ahead.' Everybody turned out and listened eagerly for the next word. 'She's a steamer, was the next call. We all shook hands and cheered and many ran about shouting for joy. We all remained on deck the rest of the night, watching the Ohio's lights. At daylight she stood by and passed a hawser. At that time, as I learned subsequently, our after peak was full of water and despite their expressions of confidence, the officers of the ship were intensely anxious.

"The Ohio began towing us very slowly. The strain caused by the heavy seas was too great, however, and after five minutes the hawser broke. Before another could be passed nine hours clapsed. The second bawser broke as did also the third. On Sunday morning other hawsers were fixed and as th weather had improved meantime they held until we reached harbor. We proceeded about seven knots an hour. At Daunt's Rock the hawsers were short-

ened off." The steamship Ohio proceeded to Liverpool this morning. Most of the steerage passengers who went ashore were taken back later and will live aboard the Nordland until final order are received from London as regard their transport to Antwerp. Probably the Nordland will be prepared temporarily here and then will proceed to Antwerp, where she will be completely

The National Treasury WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—The treasury department is gradually recovering gold it lost by It has received \$1,500,000 from New Orleans and \$1,000,000 from Philadelphia. The heavy disbursements, however, reduced the net cash

to \$26,300,000. Pension payments continue to be the chief source of drain, Burned in Prison. Pittsnungn, Pa., Dec. 26.-John Purdy was burned to death in the Wilmerding lockup at 3 o'clock yesterday morning. Purdy was arrested for be ing drunk. At 3 o'clock the lockup was discovered on fire. Purdy was the only inmate. Before he could be rescued he

was roasted alive. The rejection of the French-Swiss commercial treaty by the French charaber of deputies is hitterly resented in Berne. There is a ununimous feeling in favor of reprisals.

Metityan Reinstatel WASHINGTON, Dec. 25.—The famous case of Dr. McGlynn, of St. Stephen's church, has finally been decided by the restoration to him of authority to perform his priestly functions. The settlement of the case came within the scope of the general power vested in Mgr. Satolli, the papal delegate, and the decision was promulgated by him at the Catholic university, where he is stopping.

The effect of this decision by Mgr.

Satolli is limited. It enables Father McGlynn to serve as a priest in any parish to which he may be assigned.

Pour Million Florine Embessied. BUDA PESTH, Dec. 27. - The fact has ust been made public that during the Trefort ministry 4,000,000 florins were embezzied in the department of education and public instruction. Count Czaky, incumbent of the ministry in question both in the Szapary cabinet and in the present Wekerie cabinet, has known of the embezzlement for some time, but has made no mention of it.

North Dakota's Electors Populist. BISMARCK, N. D., Dec. 28.-Judge Rose has decided the Selz precinct contest case against the board of canvas sers, who refused to canvass the returns. It is held that the board has no udicial authority and must simply canrass all the returns regular on their faces. This gives the fusionists all three electors from North Dakota.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Dec. 27.—An im- The liabilities will reach \$1,000,000, but portant meeting of the populist leaders throughout the country was held here to-day, at which an effort was made to devise some means of bringing into the party fold all the industrial organisa-tions, of whatsoever name, throughout the west and south.

The Russian cholera commission is holding a secret session at St. Peters BILL DALTON.

Attorney-General Miller I quiring Into His Appointment as Depury Macsial. WASHINGTON, Dec. 28. - Attorney-General Miller is disturbed by the report that Bill Dalton, a brother of the notorious outlaw, has been appointed a deputy United States marshal at Coffeyville, Kau. He said that the first intimation he had received in regard to the matter was when Senator Vest alluded to it in his speech in the senate last week. He had at once applied to the United States marshals in Kausas and the Indian territory for information on the subject, at the same time express ing his surprise and disapproval at such an appointment, but so far he had

received no response from either officer. He explains that the department ever interfered with the marshals in the appointment of their deputies unless there were special reasons for so doing, but indicated very clearly that he would not countenance the appointment of a man of Dalton's stamp. further action will be taken until the two marshals have been heard from. Stabbed the Burgiar.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Dec. 28.-Anna Crouse, a domestic on North Pennsyl vania street, seriously wounded burglar with a butcherknife last night. She had come in late with two friends and finding evidence that the house been entered, armed her self and found the burglar upstairs. He attempted to throw her to one side and she stabbed him three times in the arm and shoulder. The burglar broke away, but was captured by a passing street car conductor. When the handkerchief he wore as a mask was removed he proved to be Charles Jay Cook, a cousin of the gir who stabbed him.

Inauguration Committee Named. WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—Chairman Ber rel, of the inaugural committee, com pleted his selection of the executive committees of twenty-one last evening as follows: James Norris, James L. Bar bour, Henry L. Briscoe, Gen. H. V. Boynton, Alexander T. Britton, John Joy Edson, Rear Admiral S. B. Franklin Lawrence Gardner, Curtis J. Hillyer, Robert O. Holtzman, J. Harrison John son, J. Fred Kelley, Charles C. Lancas ter, William Cranch McIntire, George W. Manahan, Theodore F. Noyes Francis A. Richardson, John W. Rose Richard Smith, Michael E. Walter and Beriah Wilkins.

satelli in Demand. MONTREAL, Dec. 28.-It is said that Mgr. Satolli, the representative of the pope, who is now doing some important work in the United States, will proba bly be called upon within a few days to ertend the benefits of his conciliatory policy to Canada. One of the director of the condemned Canada Review says it is the intention of the board of man agement to prepare a memorial to the papal envoy, who is now in New York, isking his grace to take cognizance of what has just transpired between the promoters of the journal in question and the spiritual head of this diocese.

Wyoming Flection Settled. CHEYENNE, Wyo., Dec. 28.-The de ision in the Carbon county legislative contest case was made public here yesterday. The supreme court decides that the state canvassing board must accept Carbon county returns from the two justices instead of the abstract from the clerk alone. This gives the democrats two more members of the house and insures them the organization of that body. Cathedral Stone Laying.

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—The corner stone of the great Protestant Episcopal caat 3 o'clock this afternoon. The structure is intended to be a type of the achievements and aspirations of the Protestant Episcopal church in the United States, and has been grandly

Orphans' Home Burned Sr. Louis, Dec. 28.-A dispatch from rawfordsville, Ind., says the orphans' ome near that city was destroyed by fire last night. Loss, \$28,000; with only \$3,500 insurance. There were many narrow escapes, some of the children being taken from the building in their night clothes.

Mr. Blaine Much Bette WASHINGTON, Dec. 28. - Dr. Johnston and Dr. Hyatt visited Mr. Blaine at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon and after their exit from the house Dr. Johnson said that Mr. Blaine's progress toward improvement continued and this after noon it could be safely said that he was very much better

A Mirarie Sworn To. CANTON, Minn., Dec. 28.-The sexton of the Assumption church here brought J. J. Collins, of Monroe county, Wis. before S. Boyd and they made an affidavit that they saw a bright star 6 inches in circumference ascend from the roof of the church on Christmas night.

CHICAGO, Dec. 28.—Orange Judd, the widely known senior editor of the Orange Judd Farmer of this city and a pioneer western journalist, died to-day. He became til last Friday and death re suited from bemorrhagic complications Asphyxiated. BRADLEY S. D., Dec. 28 .- A family named Rasmussen, living five miles

west of this place, was asphyxiated by coal gas last night. The family con sisted of husband, wife and infant child. The mother and child died, and the father's chances of living are slight. New Hank at 11 Re in. WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—The comp

troller of the currency has authorize the First National bank of El Reno Ok., to commence business. Capital \$50,000. J. T. Allison, president; B. F. Stell, cashier.

OMAHA, Neb., Dec. 28.—Relatives of Col. A. C. Dawes, the St. Joseph railroad man, who is now at Tamps. Fla., says that he is sinking rapidly and can not live long.

A Chicago firm has ordered 18,000 jack rabbits from southwestern Kansas, to be delivered alive. The want to sell them to world's fair visitors.

Due to spite Work Duntin, Dec. 26.—The first reports that the explosion outside of the detec tive office at Exchange court was a political outrage, is denied by the police General opinion is that the bomb or infernal machine was placed by the person with a special spite against the detective force.
The only person severely injured was
the detective who died. Three men
and a woman in a side street about 100 yards off were thrown to the ground and remained unconscious for severa minutes. They sustained only a fe bruises and walked home.

DENVER, Col., Dec. 25. - Santa Fe pas enger train No. 8, which left Denver at 11:05 o'clock last night, says a special to the Times from Colorado prings, was wrecked between I and I o'clock this morning two miles east of Husted, a small station fifteen miles orth of Colorado Springs Several cars left the track and plunged down a high embankment and were soon afterward wrapped in flames.

Two boys, Bert and Willie Vancon. are dving at the hospital in this city. They are believed to be the only ones fatally injured, though almost everybody on the train was more or less se verely hurt. Great Fallure In Grain

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Dec. 27.-The failure of the old real estate firm of E. it is thought the assets will more than cover all obligations. The cause of the failure was not real estate speculation, but speculation in wheat. E. L. Corser, head of the firm, has a large farm in the Red river valley, and, in connection with handling its own product, had gone extensively into speculation. It is said upon reliable authority that he has lost \$150,000 in wheat during the most thirty days. MARKET REPORTS.

Kassas City Live Stock.

KANAS CITT, Dec M.
Cattle-Receipts 2,60; calves, 91 Shipped
exterdar, kel The market was active afters
teady to strong: cow kell c with instances
he higher: feeders, quiet, unchanged. The fol-

itself out Congressional Proceedings. Sheep-Receipts 222; no shipments market was dull and unchanged. The ng are representative sales: 7 culis..... \$3 \$4.25 | 73 com st.... 78 \$2.50 Chicago Live Stock, CHICAGO, Dec. 28—Hogs—Receipts, slow but stronger: prices lie to lie higher; packers, \$6.0026.53; prime heavy, \$6.7536.85; light, \$6.50. Cattle-Receipts, 7,000; slow but steady and Sherman act of 189). Adjourned.

stronger than this time last week. Top prices \$6.00\_6.25 for top steers none here. Sheep Receipts, 5,0 0 active, steady; top lambs, \$5.75\_6.25, top sheep, \$1.85\_75.45. St. Louis Live Stock. Sr. Louis, Dec. 28. -Cattle Receipts, 1.103; market strong Hogs-Receipts, 2, 00 Market be higher; heavy, 6,00 ±6.75; mixed, 6.1+3, 6.6; Yorkers, 16,00 ±6.75. Sheep-Receipts 50;

Kansas City Grain Market. KANSAS CITT, Dec. 28 — Wheat sold by sample on 'change to-day at ½ is higher than on Friday, the hast proceeding business day. Demand was fairly good, but elevator men doclare that the speculative advance has not in the least degree quickened the cash demand for wheat. There were liberal offerings, three days' receipts being 328 cars, but they were nearly all disposed of before the closing hour. Shippers appeared to be doing nothing with round lots.

round lots.

Prices were quoted as follows: No. 2 hard wheat, 47:4458c; No. 3 hard wheat, 16:55c; No. 4 hard wheat 54:55c; No. 4 hard wheat 54:55c; No. 3 red wheat, 50:55c; No. 3 red wheat, 50:55c; No. 3 red wheat, 50:55c; Corn was weak and mixed corn was generally \$40 lower. The trade was very dull. Shippers did very little and the local demand was slow. Three days' receipts were 18 cars to 2 mixed corn sold at 224/433c. No. 3 mixed, 3248. 234c: No. 4 sold at 31c: No. 2 white, 44-2535c
No. 3 white, 33-6-34c No. 4 white nominally,
32c. Shippers paid 35c Mississippi river and 38-4
6250c Memphis for No. 3 corn. No. 2 sold sparingly at 35-4c Mississippi river. Oats were weak Receipts were 30 cars for the three days. Cash prices: No. 2 mixed. 2-4; 19c. No. 2, 28:625 c. No. 4, 28:4c; No. 2 white, 39:631c. No. 3 white 25:530c.

Rye was higher. No. 2 sold at 5 c. No. 3, 47c. No. 4, nominally 43 db. Flaxseed steady 94 9 c. according to billing on the basis of pure | m | ll lats, de lessa Bran weak: 55:558c, according to billing, 103-Ib. sacks.

Hay Receipts, 10 cars, market steady. Quetations are: Timothy, choice, \$10.50 good, \$50 69.50 clover mixed, \$7.0368.00 per ton fancy prairie, \$9.00 good to choice 18.0068.50; com-

Chicago Grain and Provisto Dec. 28. Opened High'st Low'st Closing 

8 20 8 20 8 27 4 8 25 8 45 8 47 4 8 85 8 40 New York Grain. New York, Dec 28. Receipts, wheat, 100.-(0) bu. shipments, 233.36 bu. receipts corn, 31.60 bu; shipments, 16.39 bu Wheat— March, 79%c. May, 81%c. July, 81%c; December, 77%c. Corn—May, 51%c. December, 48%c. Oats—May, 38%c. December, 38%c.

St. Louis Grain. St. Louis, Dec. 28. - Receipts of wheat, 80,000 bu.; shipments, 16,600 bu. receipts, corn. 468,-600 bu.; shipments, 18,000 bu. Wheat - December, 674c. January, 674c. May, Corn-Cash, 35%c. May, 414:941%c. Rausas City Produce.

RAMAN CITY, Dea. 28 -- Reggs-Light receipts wanted strictly fresh firm: 27 -4220c, ice house, the held steady 18 - 19c. Butter-Large receipts, unchanged creamory light demand; facey, 25 - 28c; good, 35 - store packed, 13cthe, Dairy, quiet, steady fancy, 18c good to choice, 140-15c; roll, good demand, active, firm: extra fancy, 17 - 18c; good to choice, 16a, Poultry-Light receipts; market cleared. firm: extra fancy, 17 - 18c; good to choice, 16a, Poultry—Light receipts; market cleared wanted, firm receipts; market cleared wanted, firm receipts, to surplus, active, firm, large springs, 6c; broilers, 7 7% per ib. Turkeys—Light receipts, no surplus, active, firm, large. Ducks Pirm, 6c per ib. Geese, 163% oper ib. Pigeons—Not wanted, 75c. Dressed chickens, dull, 658c. turkeys, wanted; active, firm; large rough, 10% u.lic, choice, 11% clucks, 8c; geese, 667c. Apples—Light receipts, quiet; common, dull, steady, 91.5092 50 fancy, searce, firm, 2.75 sl. 25; Michigan, thought 50; New York, 23 00,44.00. Grapes—Light supply, firm: Concord, New York fancy, 30% 55c. Delaware, 60% 6c per 10-1b. basket. Cranberries—Firm: 65-600.00 per bbt. California fruits—Light supply; quiet, firm: pears, 22 00 s 2 25 per Light supply; quiet, firm: pears, 22 00 s 2 25 per Light supply: quiet, firm pears, \$2.00 ; 2.25 per bog. Gelery—Small, 19.25c Michigan, 49375c per bunch. Potators—Light receipts, light supply, quiet, firm northern, 75 see per bul. Colq-rado, 85; 80c; sweet, årm red, 8°c; vellow, 80c per bu. Heans - Eastern hand picked, :2 1445 2 20 per bul: medjum, 12 0 00; 10 per bu.

Money and Investments. New York, Dec. 28 - Manhattanied the mar jet upward this morning adding the share to the rise of 5 per cent, which it made in the thort session of Saturday. The stock is in de-mand on talk that the frauchise to build an unlerground road cannot be sold. Chicago Gas was in very atrong demand and the price was advanced 2 per cent. to 87. The railroad shares were quiet and prices up to noon were unimpor-

Sterling exchange continues very strong and about a million deliars in gold have been or dered to go abroad.

Miowa Up by Dynamita. Atmoquenque, N. M., Dec. 26.—By ar explosion of dynamite in the cabin of

wo miners south of this city Fred Bailey had his legs blown off and one eye blown out. William Black was dangerously out and bruised Bailey



-all the proper functions of wo-Dr. Pierce's Favorite manhood. Prescription is the remedy. It regulates and promotes their action, and removes the obstructions and suppressions which cause trouble and misery. At the two eritical periods in a woman's lifethe change from girlhood to weman-hood, and, later, the "change of life" -it is a perfectly safe and an especially valuable remedial agent, that can produce only good results, It's a powerful, invigorating tonie, and a soothing and strengthening nervine; a legitimate medicinepurely vegetable, perfectly harm-

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A TOWN BURNED.

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anything. WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.-In the senate vesterday the McGarrahan bill was debated at some length, Mr. Hunton (Va.) closing his three days' speech in its favor. It then went over. Mr. Peffer further spoke in favor of the anti-option bill. After a short executive session the senate adjourned until January 4. The house was in session only fifteen ninutes, when it adjourned until Jan-

Violent Gales Off Spain. MADRID, Dec. 27 .- Violent gales are raging off the west coast of Spain. Reports indicate that there have been many fatalities in this part of the Atlantic and that shipping has suffered seriously along the Spanish coast. The ship Maria Joaquina managed to make haven at Vigo in a disabled condition, her rudder having been unshipped and mast broken. During the gale her captain was killed and two seamen were drowned. The ship Maria Teresa foundered off San Lucas and eight of the crew were droweed.

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